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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masato OSHIKI, et al.

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FOR: HAIR DYE COMPOSITIONS



GAU: 1751

EXAMINER: ELHILO, E. B.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

REFERENCES

- ☒ The applicants wish to make of record the references cited in the attached Japanese Official Action (with English Translation) and listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
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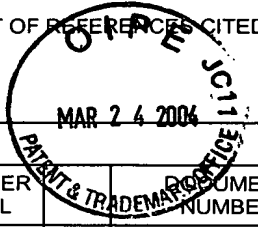
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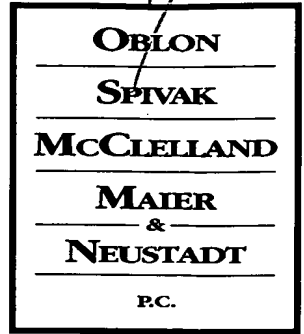


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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:  
**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT; FORM PTO-1449 (1p.);**  
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